time, would you like it?

SENATOR BEUTLER: No, I, I do not care to close. This, this amendment is beyond what the bill was all about in the first instance. If the legislative body wants to make this statement, that's fine, but I think it's clear, from the legislative record, that it's the intent of the Legislature that this issue does not, is not related to and does not relate to any other issue in the bill. And, of course, I'm anxious about concerned about the possibility that somehow, should this amendment be stricken down that the whole bill may be down. I don't think that would be a fair or appropriate or reasonable thing to do, but I suppose that's a risk I take. I hope you all feel comfortable with what you're doing and, and think this is necessary and appropriate at this particular point in time.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Beutler.

SENATOR BEUTLER: In any event, I certainly would like to have the bill advanced.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: Thank you, Senator Beutler. The question before the body is the advancement of LB 1296. All those in favor say aye. Senator Chambers has requested a machine vote. The question before you is the advancement of LB 1296. All those in favor vote aye; all those opposed vote nay. Senator Chambers has requested a record vote as well. Please record.

CLERK: (Read record vote. See pages 1950-51 of the Legislative Journal.) 36 ayes, 6 nays on the advancement of LB 1296.

PRESIDENT ROBAK: LB 1296 advances. Items for the record, Mr. Clerk.

CLERK: Enrollment and Review reports LB 33, 750, and 1263 as correctly engrossed. Madam President, a series of amendments to be printed, Senator Vrtiska to 969; Senator Warner to 693; Senator Wesely to 1076; Senator Withem to LR 462; Senator Landis to 750. Retirement Systems will meet tomorrow at one o'clock in Room 1510, it's Retirement Systems at one o'clock tomorrow in 1510. (See pages 1951-58 of the Legislative Journal.) That's all that I had, Madam President.